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August 9, 1912

RATS COLLECTED AND EXAMINED FOR PLAGUE INFECTION.

WEEK ENDED JULY 6, 1912.

Places.	Found dead.	Total collected.	Examined.	Found infected.
California:				
Cities—				
Berkeley.....	1152	1152	71	None.
Oakland.....	17	2,595	330	None.
San Franciso.....	395	41,757	1,503	None.
Washington:				
City—				
Seattle.....	801	801	766	.....

¹ Identified: *Mus norvegicus*, 111, *Mus musculus*, 41.² Identified: *Mus norvegicus*, 502, *Mus musculus*, 93.³ These rats were taken from the steamer *Nippon Maru* after fumigation.⁴ Identified: *Mus norvegicus*, 1,025, *Mus rattus*, 246, *Mus musculus*, 253, *Mus alexandrinus*, 233.**SQUIRRELS COLLECTED AND EXAMINED FOR PLAGUE INFECTION.**

During the week ended July 6, 1912, 91 squirrels from Alameda County, 1,029 from Contra Costa County, and 12 from Stanislaus County, Cal., were examined for plague infection. Eleven from Alameda County and 136 from Contra Costa County were found infected.

CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS.**CASES AND DEATHS REPORTED BY CITY HEALTH AUTHORITIES FOR THE WEEK ENDED JULY 20, 1912.**

City.	Cases.	Deaths.	City.	Cases.	Deaths.
Boston, Mass.....	2	.....	Los Angeles, Cal.....	3	1
Chicago, Ill.....	1	.....	New York, N. Y.....	13	4
Cleveland, Ohio.....	.....	1	Orange, N. J.....	1	.....
Duluth, Minn.....	1	1	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1	1
Haverhill, Mass.....	1	1	Pittsburgh, Pa.....	1
Kalamazoo, Mich.....	1	1	St. Louis, Mo.....	2

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City.	Cases.	Deaths.	City.	Cases.	Deaths.
Cleveland, Ohio.....	1	Reading, Pa.....	1
Harrisburg, Pa.....	1	Saginaw, Mich.....	1
Los Angeles, Cal.....	3	.....	Seattle, Wash.....	1	.....
Milwaukee, Wis.....	3	.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	2	.....
New York, N. Y.....	16	2	San Francisco, Cal.....	4	.....
Oakland, Cal.....	.....	1	Wheeling, W. Va.....	1	.....
Philadelphia, Pa.....	4	1	Yonkers, N. Y.....	.....	1
Pittsburgh, Pa.....	3	.....		

LEPROSY.

During the week ended July 20, 1912, 1 case of leprosy was reported at San Francisco, Cal.

PELLAGRA.

During the week ended July 20, 1912, pellagra was reported as follows: Baltimore, Md., 1 death; Houston, Tex., 1 death; Pasadena, Cal., 1 death; Richmond, Va., 1 case; Wilmington, N. C., 1 case.